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Asst. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are: [X] Response to Restriction Requirement; [X] Petition for extension of time and fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1) (check # 2227); [X] a return receipt postcard, for filing in the above-captioned patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

[X] A fee for additional claims is not required.

[] A fee for additional claims is required. The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NUMBER OF EXCESS CLAIMS	RATE	FEES DUE
TOTAL CLAIMS	<u>23</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>0</u>	× \$9	= 0.00
INDEPENDENT	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>	× \$42	= 0.00
FIRST INTRODUCTION OF MULT. DEPENDENT CLAIM				+\$140	= 0.00
TOTAL FEES DUE					= 00.00

[X] Small entity status has previously been established for Applicant(s) in this case.

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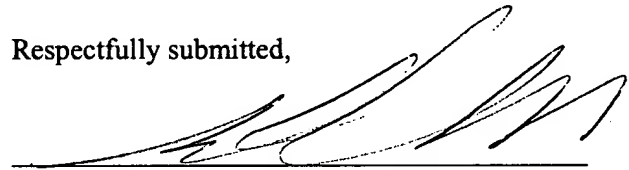
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

- [X] Extension is requested under 37 CFR 1.136(a), and the following extension fee is applicable for the paper(s) filed herewith: [X] **\$55.00 for response within first month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1);**
[] \$200.00 for response within second month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2);
[] \$460.00 for response within third month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3);
[] \$720.00 for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(4);
[] \$980.00 for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(5).
- [X] A check in the amount of [X] **\$55.00** [] \$200.00 [] \$460.00 [] \$720.00 [] \$980.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
- [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of [] \$55.00 [] \$200.00 [] \$460.00 [] \$720.00 [] \$980.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0268. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0268. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on the date indicated below.

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